APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR SIGNAL PRCOESSING OF FORMAT CONVERSION AND COMBINATION OF VIDEO SIGNALS

Abstract

A method is disclosed for converting and mixing a plurality of video data without data loss. The video data have a plurality of sampling formats, and the sampling formats at least comprise a high chrominance–sampling–rate format and a low chrominance–sampling–rate format. The method includes receiving a first video data in the low chrominance–sampling–rate format and a second video data in the high chrominance–sampling–rate format, converting the first video data in the low chrominance–sampling–rate format into a first video data in the high chrominance–sampling–rate format, and mixing the first video data in the high chrominance–sampling–rate format with the second video data in the high chrominance–sampling–rate format for generating a mixed video data in the high chrominance–sampling–rate format.